FY24 Energy and Water Development Guidance

The Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development and Related Agencies will accept project requests in only the following accounts and only in accordance with existing authorizations:

Army Corps of Engineers (Civil Works)

Investigations
Construction
Mississippi River and Tributaries
Operation and Maintenance

Department of the Interior – Bureau of Reclamation

Water and Related Resources

- Not all programs within these accounts will be open for Community Project Funding requests.
 - If the project is **not** an individually authorized project or a project under the Corps of Engineers Continuing Authorities Program, please contact the Congresswoman's office for further information **prior to** submitting a request.
- ① To support the funding level and scope of a project included in the President's budget request, please submit a program request. A Community Project Funding request is only necessary to request an increment of funding or scope above and beyond the President's budget request.
 - ☑ Program request to support the President's budget request of \$10 for Project A.
 - Community Project Funding request to support \$5 in addition to the President's budget request for Project A.
 - ➤ Program request or Community Project Funding request to support \$15 for Project A.
- (i) After the official Community Project Funding requests have been received, the Subcommittee will ask the federal agencies for technical assistance on each requested project, including the information described in the suggested questions below. The

Subcommittee will evaluate project requests based on the information provided to the Subcommittee directly from the federal agency.

Please have answers to the following questions form the Army Corps of Engineers before submitting request:

- ? Is the project authorized? Is the scope of work to be funded within existing authorization?
 - (i) If YES, the project may be eligible as a Community Project Funding request in the Energy and Water Development appropriations bill.
 - ? What is the statutory citation?
 - ✓ If the project is an individually authorized project or a project under the Corps of Engineers Continuing Authorities Program, include the statutory citation in the statement of federal nexus.
 - ✓ If the project is authorized in a manner other than an individual project authorization or under the Corps of Engineers Continuing Authorities Program, please contact the Subcommittee for further clarification of eligibility prior to submitting a request.
 - X If NO, STOP − the project is not eligible as a Community Project Funding request in the Energy and Water Development appropriations bill.
- ? What is the official project name?
 - ☑ Include this name in the "Project Title" field in the electronic system and in the certification of no financial interest.
- ? What is the fiscal year 2024 capability?
 - (i) This amount is the maximum funding level the Subcommittee will consider for inclusion in the appropriations bill. The existence of a capability amount does not guarantee that funding level or any funding will be able to be accommodated in the appropriations bill; it simply indicates the maximum amount that can be considered for inclusion.

For a Corps of Engineers project, what is the correct appropriations account in which to request funding?

☑ Submit the Community Project Funding request under this account.

- **?** For a Corps of Engineers project, is this project a new start?
 - (i) The Subcommittee may provide funding for a very limited number of new starts, if any. While new start requests will be accepted, Members should consider this limitation when making requests.
- ? For a Bureau of Reclamation project, is this project authorized **only** under section 4007, 4009(a), or 4009(c) of the Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation (WIIN) Act of 2016 (Public Law 114–322)?
 - X If YES, the project is not eligible as a Community Project Funding request in the Energy and Water Development appropriations bill.